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SUBJECT: PHOENIX ASSOCIATES RECRUITING ACTIVITIES

1. SAYYID TAIMUR AL-SAID, DEPDIRECTOR ADMINISTRATION, OMAN MINDEFENSE DROPPED BY EMBASSY TO INFORM US IN CONFIDENCE OF ACTIVITIES OF COMPANY CALLED PHOENIX ASSOCIATES, WHICH APPARENTLY ENGAGED IN RECRUITING FORMER U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL FOR SERVICE IN OMAN. SAYYID TAIMUR STATED THIS COMPANY OBTAINED COPY OFFICIAL OMANI MINDEF APPLICATION FORM, THEN REPRINTED IT WITHOUT PERMISSION. HE FURTHER STATED OMAN GOV "CAN'T USE THESE APPLICANTS" AND RETURNS APPLICATIONS AUTOMATICALLY. ONLY ACTION HE REQUESTED WAS ADDRESS OF FIRM AND ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION AVAILABLE. WE GAVE HIM ADDRESS REPORTED FEB. 24 EDITION NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE.

2. EMBASSY COMMENT: SAYYID TAIMUR, FORMER EMBASSY EMPLOYEE, IS THIRD-RANKING IN ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION MINDEFENSE. MINDEFENSE APPARENTLY PREFERS LOW-KEY APPROACH THIS MATTEBGM EMBASSY THEREFORE NEITHER PLANS NOR RECOMMENDS FURTHER ACTION AT THIS TIME.
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